

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

Please amend the Abstract of the specification as follows:

A special denture tooth and removable dental prosthesis used for method of custom molding occlusal surfaces of dentures ~~and the surfaces thus produced. Special teeth are used for the lower posterior teeth on the mandibular plate of dentures and a central bearing device is attached to the dentures.~~ The ~~Each~~ special denture tooth has a central receptacle which may ~~used~~ initially for holding an occlusal insert for positioning the dentures while ~~a~~ the central bearing device is adjusted. Once the occlusal insert is removed, the special denture tooth may ~~and then as a container to hold moldable resin when the insert is removed.~~ The central receptacle and at least one undercut area ~~hold~~ holds the resin as it is molded by the opposing teeth moving through all possible eccentric positions, with the central bearing device preventing the teeth from closing too far. The resin is then cured and trimmed and the dentures are clinically fit to the patient before the central bearing device is removed from the dentures.